CULTURE) (KM. SELJA): (a) Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan (KVS) has informed that, Five Kendriya Vidyalayas were opened in North-Eastern Region and 48 Kendriya Vidyalayas in the remaining States during 1991—94, as per details given below:

	North-East Region	Rest of the Country
1991-92	03	24
1992-93	—	—
1993-94	02	24

(b) and (c) A Kendriya Vidyalaya which was opened in 1978-79 at Bhandaridah, Bihar under Project Sector has been closed on the request of the Project Authorities w.e.f. 1st May, 1995.

Regularisation Services of Anganwadi Workers

2562. SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH:
SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Angan Waris functioning in the country, State-wise;

(b) whether Government have any proposal to regularise the services of Angan Wari workers; and

(c) if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF WOMEN AND CHILD DEVELOPMENT) (SMT. BASAVA RAJESHWARI): (a) There are about 2.94 lakh anganwadi centres functioning in the country at present. The State-wise details on the number of functioning anganwadi centres is enclosed as statement (*See* below)

(b) and (c) No, Sir. No such proposal is under consideration of the Government at present. It is, however, indicated that anganwadi workers are honorary workers drawn largely from the local community and are paid a fixed amount of honorarium for the voluntary effort put by them in the implementation of Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Scheme.

Statement

Statewise number of Angawadis Functioning as on 30th June 1995

SL. NO.	STATE / UTs	NO. OF ANGANWADIS FUNCTIONING
1.	ANDHRA PRADESH	21675
2.	ARUNACHAL PRADESH	1192
3.	ASSAM	6961
4.	BIHAR	19671
5.	GOA	1069
6.	GUJARAT	18552
7.	HARYANA	10257
8.	HIMACHAL PRADESH	3849
9.	JAMMU & KASHMIR	4542
10.	KARNATAKA	27166
11.	KERALA	10220
12.	MADHYA PRADESH	25301
13.	MAHARASHTRA	25359
14.	MANIPUR	2126
15.	MEGHALAYA	1590
16.	MIZORAM	1193
17.	NAGALAND	2337
18.	ORISSA	18576
19.	PUNJAB	7206
20.	RAJASTHAN	17117

SL. NO.	STATE / UTs	NO. OF ANGANWADIS FUNCTIONING
21.	SIKKIM	385
22.	TAMIL NADU	9289
23.	TRIPURA	1771
24.	UTTAR PRADESH	28022
25.	WEST BENGAL	24217
26.	A & N ISLANDS	257
27.	CHANDIGARH	212
28.	DELHI	3286
29.	DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI	125
30.	DAMAN & DIU	84
31	LAKSHADWEEP	71
32	PONDICHERRY	536
	ALL INDIA	294214

Increased capacity of IFFCO

2563. SHRI CHIMANBHAI HARIBHAI SHUKLA:
SHRI RAGHAVJI:

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Farmers and Fertilizers Cooperative Limited (IFFCO) at Kandla and Kalol has started production as per its increased capacity;

(b) if not, the time by when the production is likely to be started;

(c) the number of new employment opportunities created as a result of the increased capacity;

(d) the number of local persons who have been given employment in lieu of acquisition of their land; and

(e) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) to (e) Indian Farmers Fertiliser Cooperative Limited (IFFCO)'s expansion project at Kalol is expected to be commissioned by 01.09.1997. There is no additional requirement of manpower or land for this project.

In the absence of a final investment decision on IFFCO's proposed Kandla expansion project, it is not possible to give any indication regarding its likely date of commissioning, new employment opportunities to be generated, land to be acquired and displaced persons to be employed.

Self-Sufficiency in Foodgrains

2564. SHRI BHAGABAN MAJHI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the items of foodgrains in which the country has become self-sufficient;

(b) whether Government propose to export those items;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the specific steps taken in Orissa and other States to encourage and increase diversification of cropping pattern?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) Country has achieved self-sufficiency in foodgrains except pulses.

(b) and (c) A quantity of 468.70 thousand tonnes of Rice Basmati, 422.73 thousand tonnes of Rice (other than Basmati), 56.21 thousand tonnes of Wheat and 68.60 thousand tonnes of other cereals are provisionally estimated to have been exported during 1994-95.

(d) In order to increase production and productivity of all crops in the country including Orissa State, the on-going crop production oriented programmes during 1994-95 were modified to introduce the cropping system approach which would help in diversifying the efforts of raising production of various crops instead of individual crop.